

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Elections – General Elections to House of People and A.P. Legislative Assembly, 2009 held in two phases i.e., on 16-04-2009 and 23-04-2009 – Sanction of Rs.13,24,399/- to the Chairman, Devnar Foundation for the Blind, Hyderabad towards printing and supplying of adhesive Braille Ballot Stickers & Dummy Ballot Paper – Orders – Issued.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (ELECTIONS.C) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 3034

Dated: 22-06-2009

Read the following:-

1. From the under Secretary, ECI, New Delhi Lr.No.S1/8/2009-EMS, dt:12-02-2009.
2. From the Chariman, Devnar Foundation for the Blind, Hyderabad Lr.No.DFFB/Corre/15/2009-10, dt:24-02-2009.
3. G.A. (Elecs.D) Dept. Lr.No.964/Elecs.D/2009-2, dt: 04-03-2009 and 25 -03-2009.
4. G.O.Rt.No.1710, G.A. (Elecs.C) Dept., dt:07-04-2009.
5. G.A. (Elecs.D) Dept. Lr.No.964/Elecs.D/2009-5, dt: 11-04-2009 and 17-04-2009.
6. Memo.No.6328-A/433/B.G.III/2009, dt: 18-04-2009 from Finance (BG-III) Dept.
7. From the Chariman, Devnar Foundation for the Blind, Hyderabad Lr.No.DFFB/Corre/28/2009-10, dt:27-04-2009
8. G.A. (Elecs.D) Dept. U.O.Note No.964/Elecs.D/2009-7, dt: 28 -04-2009.

ORDER:

In the letter 1st read above, the Election Commission of India, New Delhi has informed that the Commission has decided to introduce the Braille Signage features on the EVM's to be used during the General Elections, 2009 and issued certain guidelines to provide the facilities in the matter. The same was examined and that, it was decided to introduce the same in our State (Andhra Pradesh). In this regard, the Chairman, Devnar Foundation for the Blind, Hyderabad vide letter 2nd cited, has submitted a representation to the C.E.O., Hyderabad with a quotation for printing of self adhesive stickers and dummy ballot papers for use the Assembly and Parliament Elections of Andhra Pradesh and requested to specify the number of Polling Stations and also conform the order.

2. In the reference 3rd read above, the Chairman, Devnar Foundation for the Blind, Hyderabad was requested to print and supply required number of self adhesive stickers and dummy ballot papers for General Elections to House of People and A.P. Legislative Assembly, 2009. Further, instructions were also issued to all the Collectors and District Election Officers to make necessary arrangements for pasting stickers on the EVM's vide Memo 5th read above. Now, the Chairman, Devnar Foundation for the Blind, Hyderabad has furnished the bill for payments for an amount of Rs.13,24,399/- for the work done by the foundation vide letter 7th read above.

3. After careful examination of the matter, Government hereby accord sanction an amount of **Rs.13,24,399/- (Rupees Thirteen lakhs twenty four thousand three hundred and ninety nine only)** to the Chairman, Devnar Foundation for the Blind, Hyderabad towards the cost of printing and supplying of self adhesive stickers and dummy ballot papers for General Elections to House of People and A.P. Legislative Assembly, 2009.

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4. The expenditure sanctioned in para 2 above shall be debited to **“2015 Elections – MH 104-Charges for Conduct of Elections for Lok Sabha and State Legislative Assemblies when held simultaneously – S.H.(04) Conduct of Elections to Lok Sabha and State Assembly - 210 Supplies and Materials / 211 Materials and Supplies”** in relaxation of Treasury Control and Quarterly Regulation orders and shall be met from out of the (additional) funds provide in G.O.3rd read above.

5. The General Administration (Claims.C) Department are requested to draw the amount sanctioned in para 2 above immediately for obtaining a cheque in favour of “Chairman, Devnar Foundation for the Blind, Hyderabad” and send the same to General Administration (Elections.C) Department for taking further action.

6. This order does not require the concurrence of Finance Department as per the orders in force.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

I.V.SUBBARAO
CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER & E.O.
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The General Administration (Claims.C) Department, Hyderabad.

The Deputy Pay and Accounts Officer, Secretariat Br. Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Accountant General, A.P. Hyderabad.

The Pay & Accounts Officer, A.P. Hyderabad.

The Chairman, Devnar Foundation for the Blind,

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The General Administration (Elections.D) Department,

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//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER